

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1. (currently amended): A composition for a sustained treatment of muscular fatigue, which consists of leucine, isoleucine, valine, glutamine and a whey protein component, wherein the whey protein component is at least one selected from the group consisting of a whey protein isolate, a whey protein concentrate, β -lactoglobulin, α -lactalbumin, and a whey protein hydrolysate.

2-4. (canceled).

5. (currently amended): The composition according to claim 1, ~~which comprises~~ wherein the amount of leucine is in an amount of 10 to 30 parts by weight, the amount of isoleucine is in an amount of 5 to 15 parts by weight, the amount of valine is in an amount of 5 to 15 parts by weight, the amount of glutamine is in an amount of 5 to 15 parts by weight, and the amount of the whey protein component is in an amount of 75 to 25 parts by weight, each based on the total weight of the composition.

6. (currently amended): The composition according to claim 1, ~~which comprises~~ wherein the amount of leucine is in an amount of 20 parts by weight, the amount of isoleucine is in an amount of 10 parts by weight, the amount of valine is in an amount of 10 parts by weight, the amount of glutamine is in an amount of 10 parts by weight, and the amount of the whey

protein component ~~in is an amount of~~ 50 parts by weight, each based on the total weight of the composition.

7-15. (canceled)

16. (currently amended): A method of sustainably treating muscular fatigue, which comprises administering a composition consisting of leucine, isoleucine, valine, glutamine and a whey protein component to a subject in need of sustained treatment of muscular fatigue, wherein the whey protein component is at least one selected from the group consisting of a whey protein isolate, a whey protein concentrate, β -lactoglobulin, α -lactalbumin, and a whey protein hydrolysate.

17-19. (canceled).

20. (currently amended): The method according to claim 16, ~~which comprises~~ wherein the composition consists of leucine in an amount of 10 to 30 parts by weight, isoleucine in an amount of 5 to 15 parts by weight, valine in an amount of 5 to 15 parts by weight, glutamine in an amount of 5 to 15 parts by weight, and the whey protein component in an amount of 75 to 25 parts by weight based on the total weight of the composition.

21. (currently amended): The method according to claim 16, ~~which comprises~~ wherein the composition consists of leucine in an amount of 20 parts by weight, isoleucine in an amount of 10 parts by weight, valine in an amount of 10 parts by weight,

glutamine in an amount of 10 parts by weight, and the whey protein component in an amount of 50 parts by weight based on the total weight of the composition.

22-23. (canceled).